

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET 3M
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DIVISION: MEDICAL PRODUCTS GROUP TECHNOLOGY DIV

TRADE NAME:

ENTEROBACTERIACEAE COUNT PETRIFILM

ID NUMBER/U.P.C.:

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1. INGREDIENT	C.A.S. NO.	PERCENT
SEE BELOW.....	Unknown	100
POLYESTER FILM, POLYSTYRENE, POLYPROPYLENE FILM, DOUBLE SIDED TAPE, ACRYLATE ADHESIVE, GELLING AGENT, NUTRIENTS.		

2. PHYSICAL DATA

BOILING POINT:..... N/A
VAPOR PRESSURE:..... neglig.
VAPOR DENSITY:..... N/A
EVAPORATION RATE:..... N/A
SOLUBILITY IN WATER:..... < 5.8 %
SPECIFIC GRAVITY:..... .9 - 1.4 g/cc
PERCENT VOLATILE:..... N/A
pH:..... 6.5 - 7.5
VISCOSITY:..... N/A
MELTING POINT:..... > 100 C

APPEARANCE AND ODOR:
Film, SLIGHT MUSTY ODOR.

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3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT:..... N/A
FLAMMABLE LIMITS - LEL:..... N/A
FLAMMABLE LIMITS - UEL:..... N/A
AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:..... N/A

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:
Water, Water spray, Dry chemical

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:
Wear full protective clothing, including helmet, self-contained, positive pressure or pressure demand breathing apparatus, bunker coat and pants, bands around arms, waist and legs, face mask, and protective covering for exposed areas of the head.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:
None known.

NFPA HAZARD CODES: HEALTH: 1 FIRE: 1 REACTIVITY: 0
UNUSUAL REACTION HAZARD: none

OSHA FIRE HAZARD CLASS: Not applicable

4. REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: Stable

INCOMPATIBILITY - MATERIALS/CONDITIONS TO AVOID:
Not applicable.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:
Carbon Monoxide and Carbon Dioxide.

5. ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION

SPILL RESPONSE:
Not applicable.

RECOMMENDED DISPOSAL:
STERILIZE WHERE APPROPRIATE. NORMAL MEANS OF DISPOSAL MAY INCLUDE INCINERATION AND LANDFILL.

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5. ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION (continued)

ENVIRONMENTAL DATA:
Not applicable.

REGULATORY INFORMATION:
Volatile Organic Compounds: N/A.
VOC Less H2O & Exempt Solvents: N/A.

EPCRA HAZARD CLASS:
FIRE HAZARD: Yes PRESSURE: No REACTIVITY: No ACUTE: No CHRONIC: No

6. SUGGESTED FIRST AID

EYE CONTACT:
Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of water. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN CONTACT:
No need for first aid is anticipated.

INHALATION:
No need for first aid is anticipated.

IF SWALLOWED:
No need for first aid is anticipated.

7. PRECAUTIONARY INFORMATION

EYE PROTECTION:
Avoid eye contact.

SKIN PROTECTION:
Not applicable.

RECOMMENDED VENTILATION:
Not applicable.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:
Not applicable.

PREVENTION OF ACCIDENTAL INGESTION:
Do not ingest.

RECOMMENDED STORAGE:
Store in a cool place. Store away from heat. Store out of direct sunlight. Keep container dry.

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7. PRECAUTIONARY INFORMATION (continued)

FIRE AND EXPLOSION AVOIDANCE:
Keep away from heat, sparks, open flame, and other sources of ignition.

EXPOSURE LIMITS

INGREDIENT	VALUE	UNIT	TYPE	AUTH	SKIN*
SEE BELOW.....	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	

* SKIN NOTATION: Listed substances indicated with 'Y' under SKIN refer to the potential contribution to the overall exposure by the cutaneous route including mucous membrane and eye, either by airborne or, more particularly, by direct contact with the substance. Vehicles can alter skin absorption.

SOURCE OF EXPOSURE LIMIT DATA:

- NONE: None Established

 8. HEALTH HAZARD DATA

EYE CONTACT:

Mild Eye Irritation: signs/symptoms can include redness, swelling, pain, and tearing.

SKIN CONTACT:

No adverse health effects are expected from skin contact.

INHALATION:

No adverse health effects are expected from inhalation exposure.

IF SWALLOWED:

No adverse health effects are expected from swallowing.

 SECTION CHANGE DATES

INGREDIENTS SECTION CHANGED SINCE March 04, 1997 ISSUE

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